

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REGION 1 - BOSTON**

**CLASS. NO.: 1200
DELEGATION NO.: 14-29**

DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

DATE: 5-23-2017

COMPREHENSIVE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, COMPENSATION,
AND LIABILITY ACT

14-29. Investigations and Evaluations of Employment Shifts and Loss

1. PURPOSE AND AUTHORITY.

A. Purpose. To redelegate the authorities contained in Delegation 14-29 issued by EPA Headquarters on February 1, 2017 (administrative update).

B. Authority. Pursuant to Section 110(e) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA), as amended, and Section 554, Title 5 of the United States Code, to conduct investigations and evaluations of potential loss or shifts of employment, provide for public hearings, and make findings of fact concerning threatening plant closures or reductions in employment.

2. TO WHOM REDELEGATED. The Director, Office of Site Remediation and Restoration (OSRR).

3. REDELEGATION AUTHORITY.

A. This authority may be redelegated to the Branch Chief level, or equivalent, and no further.

B. An official who redelegates an authority retains the right to exercise or withdraw the authority. Redelegated authority may be exercised by any official in the chain of command down to the official to whom it has been specifically redelegated.

4. LIMITATIONS.

A. This authority may not be redelegated without the concurrence of the Regional Directives Officer, Human Resources Office, Office of Administration and Resource Management.

B. The authority delegated to the Assistant Administrator (AA) for the Office of Land and Emergency Management (OLEM) is limited to conducting investigations and evaluations.

C. The authority delegated to the AA for the Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance (OECA) is limited to providing for public hearings and to making findings of fact

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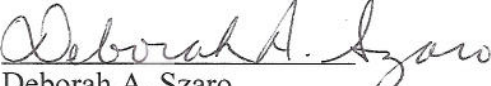
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subject to the Administrative Procedures Act.

5. ADDITIONAL REFERENCES. None.
6. SUPERSESSION. None.


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5/23/17
Date